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Richard A. Dove, Secretary  
Board of Commissioners on  
Grievances and Discipline  
5<sup>th</sup> Floor

Re: *Disciplinary Counsel v. Richard Vincent Hoppel*, Case No. 2010-1805

Dear Mr. Dove:

Richard Vincent Hoppel filed an Application for Reinstatement with this Court on December 12, 2011. Mr. Hoppel was suspended from the practice of law on June 8, 2011, for a period of two years with eighteen months stayed on conditions.

Gov.Bar R. V(10)(A) permits an Application for Reinstatement at the expiration of the period of suspension, provided, among other things, there are no formal disciplinary proceedings currently pending against the applicant. The purpose of this letter is to request written verification that there are no formal disciplinary proceedings pending against Mr. Hoppel before the Board of Commissioners on Grievances and Discipline.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



Melissa M. Ferguson  
Case Management Counsel

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